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Sir:

In accordance with Rule 56, applicant is aware of publication WO 03/029813 listed in the enclosed copy of Patent Office Form PTO/SB/08A. WO 03/029813 relates to DE 10147012, which is cited on pages 1 and 2 of the specification. A copy of the publication is enclosed herewith.

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